**PINKARD INNOVATIVE ENTERPRISES**

**Student Expectations & Student Conduct Code**

**Student Expectations**

*By initialing* each statement, I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ understand and commit to:

\_\_\_\_\_ Being honest, truthful, and respectful at all times towards the Pinkard Innovative Enterprises (PIE) Staff and School Staff. The word(s) or ruling(s) of any one or all, of them collectively is/are final.

\_\_\_\_\_Being conscious of my safety and that of my peers. I will remain in groups of no less than 3 students at all times, remain in the presence of PIE and/or School Staff during breaks, when away from the hotel and during all activities.

**\_\_\_\_\_ Anytime** a group of 3 or more wants to go anyplace away from the group, prior permission must be granted by a staff member.

\_\_\_\_\_ Being mindful of noise level while in the hotel and while touring campus buildings.

 \_\_\_\_\_Adhering to tour schedule of events, arriving to designated locations in a timely manner and participating in the scheduled indoor and outdoor activities (unless a restriction is indicated on my health form). ***One late person can affect all scheduled activities***.

\_\_\_\_\_ The use of electronic devices or wearing earbuds while touring a college campus is not allowed during tours. Phones may be used for taking notes and/or pictures, only, during the campus tours.

\_\_\_\_\_ Respect the tour guides. Tour participants will not be allowed to leave the group with a relative or friend. No relatives or friends are allowed to visit the hotel or to participate in any scheduled activities unless prior authorization is given by PIE Staff and School Staff.

\_\_\_\_\_ Only ONE (1) piece of luggage (not to exceed 50 lbs.) is allowed on the trip. A backpack may be carried.

\_\_\_\_\_ Complying with the PIE Student Conduct Code and the guidance and/or directives given by PIE Staff and School Staff.

**PIE Student Conduct Code**

As a student participating in the Pinkard Innovative Enterprises Black College Tour, you are expected to engage in responsible behaviors that reflect well upon you, this organization, and your school community; to be civil to one another and to others encountered during this excursion; and to contribute positively to the Black College Tour experience. All facilities, transportation and activity items should be used respectfully and kept in good order at all times.

*The following are grounds upon which a student may be disciplined by the PIE Staff and/or School Staff:*

1. Willful, material, and substantial disruption or obstruction of any items or activities associated with PIE Black College Tour.
2. Participating in an activity that substantially and materially disrupts the normal operations of the PIE Black College Tour or infringes on the rights of members of this excursion.
3. Inappropriate behavior: cursing, inappropriate touching, use of alcohol or drugs of any type, vaping or smoking of any type, disrespect of any type, misuse of social media and/or negative postings, conduct that threatens or endangers the health or safety of any person within or related to the PIE Black College Tour, including physical abuse, threats, intimidation, harassment, or sexual misconduct, will not be tolerated.
4. Use, possession, manufacture or distribution of illegal drugs or drug-related paraphernalia or the misuse of legal pharmaceutical drugs.
5. Use, possession, manufacture or distribution of alcoholic beverages or public intoxication while on PIE Black College Tour.
6. Encouraging, permitting, or assisting another to do any act that could subject them to discipline.
7. Failure to comply with directions or interference with PIE Staff, School Staff and/or any public safety officer while acting in the performance of his/her duties. Any violation of the Student Conduct Code; or problems severely affecting the Black College Tour and/or scheduled arrangements; or continuous negative behavior after consultation with the PIE Staff – may result in the student(s) being sent home at their parent’s expense.

\_\_\_\_ **PHOTO RELEASE WAIVER**: *I hereby grant permission to Pinkard Innovative Enterprises to use photographs and/or video of students taken during the Black College Tour in publications, news releases, online, and in other communications related to the mission of Pinkard Innovative Enterprises.*

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Printed Name of Parent/Guardian Date

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